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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF FEBRUARY 4, 2005 UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Amendment P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 5, 2005 (Tuesday after Federal Holiday)

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Office Action mailed on February 4, 2005 and with a petition and two-month extension of time fee to extend the due date to July 5, 2005 (Tuesday), the Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for the Examiner's consideration.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Atm. Examiner Cangialosi, GAU 3621, Facsimile No. (703) 872-9306 on July 5, 2005 (Tuesday).

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